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Dear Commissioner:

I have heard about the Downed Animal Protection Act (Docket number 98P-0151/CPI) that will be before Congress soon. I was surprised to find that these practices had not, as I had believed, been obliterated with the 1906 Food and Drug Act. Because my English class recently studied Upton Sinclair's novel The Jungle, I am familiar with what processing a "downed" animal entails. I believe that the process is not only inhumane, but unsanitary. I am sure you will agree with me that ending this practice immediately is in the best interests of the American people. I strongly urge you to do all you can to support this Act.

Thank you for your time and consideration;

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